

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS:

On page 1, insert the following prior to the first paragraph --

This application is the national stage of PCT/EP2003/009029 filed on August 14, 2003 and also claims Paris Convention priority of DE 102 40 001.6 filed August 27, 2002.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION --.

On page 3, insert as a title prior to the third paragraph --

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --.

On page 10 insert as a title prior to the brief description of the drawing --

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWING --.

On page 12 insert as a title following the brief description of the drawing --

DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENT --.

On page 17, line 1, replace as a title "Claims" with --

I CLAIM: --.